# **Italian Translator (Political Writing)**



| Project Title     | Italian Translator (Political Writing)  |
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| Project Summary   | Translate and summarize Italian-language media and think tank research on priority political issues for Department of State and interagency policymakers. |
| Country           | Italy   |
| Agency            | Department of State   |
| DoS Office        | N/A   |
| Post              | ROME  |
| Section           | POL   |
| Number of Interns | 1   |

### **Project Description**

Use your Italian language expertise to translate Italian press and think-tank writing on Italian domestic politics and international affairs for a wide readership across the U.S. government. U.S. Embassy Rome will work with the successful intern to select Italian newspaper articles and other media for summary and/or full translation. Topics will focus on U.S. policy interests in Italy and the region, including Italian national elections in 2017-18, the largest migration and refugee crisis since World War II, Italian and other international diplomacy in Libya, Italy's contributions to peace and security operations, and Italian engagement with the European Union. Embassy Rome's intern will provide U.S. decision makers with comprehensive information about events affecting one of our most important partners.

#### **Desired Skills Interests**

#### **Additional Information**

You will be mentored before and during your internship by a U.S. Foreign Service Officer, who will help you select articles and other media for translation. Deadlines are relatively flexible.

## **Language Requirements**

| Langua  | geSpeaking Proficiency Reading Proficiency                 | Importance   |
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| Italian | Limited working proficiency Minimum professional proficier | ncy Required |